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Sir:

a.) Introductory Comments

In the above-captioned patent application and in response to the pending Office Action, mailed November 29, 2002 (Paper No. 9), entry of the following amendments and reconsideration are requested.

A two-month extension of time is requested.

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